



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Ralph C. Taylor et al.

Serial No.: 09/928,754

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Examiner: Hau H. Nguyen

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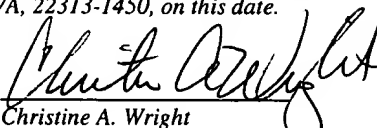
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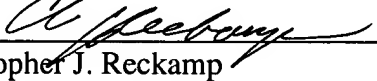
COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Dear Sir:

In addition to the Examiner's stated reasons for allowing the claims of the above-identified application, Applicant also respectfully submits that the dependent claims define other novel and non-obvious subject matter that is independently allowable over the art of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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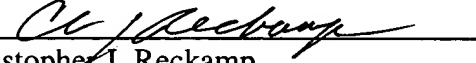
Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find:

- ☒ Form PTOL-85 dated April 27, 2005, in duplicate;
- ☒ Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance;
- ☒ "Fee Address" Indication Form; and
- ☒ Return postcard.

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